

AMENDMENT

Please amend the claims as follows:

1. (Currently Amended) A mobile hunting vessel comprising:
  - (a) a hull;
  - (b) a first ballast chamber;
  - (c) an intake pumping means for delivering water into said first ballast chamber;
  - (d) an evacuation means for evacuating water from said first ballast chamber; and
  - (e) a dry chamber located within said hull, said dry chamber being at least partially exposed to the atmosphere and adapted to allow a hunter to hunt from within said dry chamber while partially disposed below the water surface.
2. (Original) The mobile hunting vessel of claim 1, said mobile hunting vessel further comprising a camouflaging means.
3. (Original) The mobile hunting vessel of claim 1, said mobile hunting vessel further comprising a second ballast chamber.
4. (Original) The mobile hunting vessel of claim 3, wherein said first ballast chamber and said second ballast chamber are in fluid communication.
5. (Original) The mobile hunting vessel of claim 3, wherein said intake pumping means fills said first ballast chamber and said second ballast chamber, and said evacuation means evacuates said water from said first ballast chamber and said second ballast chamber.

6. (Original) The mobile hunting vessel of claim 1, further comprising a valve connecting said first ballast chamber and said dry chamber, wherein said valve may be selectively opened to flood said dry chamber.
7. (Original) The mobile hunting vessel of claim 1, wherein said ballast chamber comprises a baffling means.
8. (Currently Amended) A mobile hunting vessel comprising:
  - (a) a hull, said hull comprising a bow and a stern;
  - (b) a fore ballast chamber located within said hull near said bow;
  - (c) an aft ballast chamber located within said hull near said stern;
  - (d) an intake pumping means for delivering water into said fore ballast chamber and said aft ballast chamber;
  - (e) an evacuation means for evacuating water from said fore ballast chamber and said aft ballast chamber; and
  - (f) a dry chamber located within said hull, said dry chamber being at least partially exposed to the atmosphere and adapted to allow a hunter to hunt from within said dry chamber while partially disposed below the water surface.
9. (Original) The mobile hunting vessel of claim 8, wherein said fore ballast chamber and said aft ballast chamber are in fluid communication.
10. (Original) The mobile hunting vessel of claim 8, wherein said intake pumping means fills said fore ballast chamber and said aft ballast chamber, and said evacuation means evacuates said water from said fore ballast chamber and said aft ballast chamber.

11. (Original) The mobile hunting vessel of claim 8, said mobile hunting vessel further comprising a camouflaging means.
12. (Original) The mobile hunting vessel of claim 8, further comprising a valve connecting said aft ballast chamber and said dry chamber, wherein said valve may be selectively opened to flood said dry chamber.
13. (Original) The mobile hunting vessel of claim 8, further comprising a valve connecting said fore ballast chamber and said dry chamber, wherein said valve may be selectively opened to flood said dry chamber.
14. (Currently Amended) A mobile hunting vessel comprising:
  - (a) a hull;
  - (b) a first ballast chamber;
  - (c) an intake pumping means for delivering water into said first ballast chamber;
  - (d) an evacuation means for evacuating water from said first ballast chamber;
  - (e) a dry chamber located within said hull, said dry chamber being at least partially exposed to the atmosphere and adapted to allow a hunter to hunt from within said dry chamber while partially disposed below the water surface; and
  - (f) a motor.
15. (Original) The mobile hunting vessel of claim 14, said mobile hunting vessel further comprising a camouflaging means.
16. (Original) The mobile hunting vessel of claim 14, wherein said motor vertically adjusts to the level of said water surface.

17. (Original) The mobile hunting vessel of claim 14, further comprising a second ballast chamber.
18. (Original) The mobile hunting vessel of claim 17, wherein said intake pumping means fills said first ballast chamber and said second ballast chamber, and said evacuation means evacuates said water from said first ballast chamber and said second ballast chamber.
19. (Original) The mobile hunting vessel of claim 14, further comprising a valve connecting said first ballast chamber and said dry chamber, wherein said valve may be selectively opened to flood said dry chamber.
20. (Original) A mobile hunting vessel comprising:
  - (a) a hull, said hull comprising a bow and a stern;
  - (b) a fore ballast chamber located within said hull near said bow;
  - (c) an aft ballast chamber located within said hull near said stern;
  - (d) an intake pumping means for delivering water into said fore ballast chamber and said aft ballast chamber;
  - (e) an evacuation means for evacuating water from said fore ballast chamber and said aft ballast chamber; and
  - (f) a dry chamber located within said hull, said dry chamber adapted to allow a hunter to hunt from within said dry chamber while partially disposed below the water surface; and
  - (g) a motor.

21. (Original) The mobile hunting vessel of claim 20, wherein said motor vertically adjusts to the level of said water surface.
22. (Original) The mobile hunting vessel of claim 20, wherein said fore ballast chamber and said aft ballast chamber are in fluid communication.
23. (Original) The mobile hunting vessel of claim 20, wherein said intake pumping means fills said fore ballast chamber and said aft ballast chamber, and said evacuation means evacuates said water from said fore ballast chamber and said aft ballast chamber.
24. (Original) The mobile hunting vessel of claim 20, said mobile hunting vessel further comprising a camouflaging means.
25. (Original) The mobile hunting vessel of claim 20, further comprising a valve connecting said aft ballast chamber and said dry chamber, wherein said valve may be selectively opened to flood said dry chamber.
26. (Original) mobile hunting vessel of claim 20, further comprising a valve connecting said fore ballast chamber and said dry chamber, wherein said valve may be selectively opened to flood said dry chamber.
27. (Original) A method for hunting game animals, said method comprising the steps of:
  - (1) providing a mobile hunting vessel, said mobile hunting vessel comprising
    - (a) a hull;
    - (b) a first ballast chamber;
    - (c) an intake pumping means for delivering water into said first ballast chamber;

- (d) an evacuation means for evacuating water from said first ballast chamber; and
- (e) a dry chamber located within said hull;

- (2) moving said mobile hunting vessel to a desired hunting location;
- (3) partially submerging said hunting vessel by filling said first ballast chamber with said water; and
- (4) hunting said game animals from within said dry chamber.

28. (Original) The method as described in claim 27, wherein said mobile hunting vessel further comprises a motor.

29. (Original) A method for hunting game animals, said method comprising the steps of:

- (1) providing a mobile hunting vessel, said mobile hunting vessel comprising
  - (a) a hull;
  - (b) a fore ballast chamber;
  - (c) an aft ballast chamber;
  - (d) an intake pumping means for delivering water into said fore ballast chamber and said aft ballast chamber;
  - (e) an evacuation means for evacuating water from said fore ballast chamber and said aft ballast chamber; and
  - (f) a dry chamber located within said hull;
- (2) moving said mobile hunting vessel to a desired hunting location;
- (3) partially submerging said hunting vessel by filling said fore ballast chamber and said aft ballast chamber with said water; and

(4) hunting said game animals from within said dry chamber.

30. (Original) The method as described in claim 29, wherein said mobile hunting vessel further comprises a motor.